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CSC to Impart Skill Training
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Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Ministry has signed an agreement with cab service company Uber to use Common Services Centres (CSCs) to impart skills training to drivers and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the aims and objectives of the aforementioned agreement and whether this partnership could provide people at the grassroots level the opportunity to become successful micro-entrepreneurs and if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the other initiatives undertaken by the Government to promote access to skill development and micro-entrepreneurship opportunities?

Answer

(a) and (b): CSC e-Governance Services India Limited (CSC SPV) has signed an agreement with Uber for on-boarding interested drivers to submit applications through the Common Services Centres (CSCs) to provide an opportunity to the rural people having commercial licenses to build their own transport/taxi business.

(c): CSC SPV has collaborated with Larsen & Toubro, Hero Motocorp, Society for Clean and Healthy Environment (SoCHE), Knowledge Podium and Siemens for skill enhancement and better opportunities towards micro-entrepreneurship.

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